

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In Re The Application of: )  
Michael V. DiBiasio et al. )  
Serial No.: 09/896,276 )  
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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR )  
RECOGNIZING APPLICA- )  
TION-SPECIFIC FLOWS AND )  
ASSIGNING THEM TO )  
QUEUES )

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**AMENDMENT**

This Amendment is filed in connection with a 1-month Extension of Time in response to the Office Action mailed March 22, 2006. All objections and rejections are respectfully traversed.